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Greenwood Assessors plan inside jobs

By WENDY HANSCOM

Greenwood property owners can expect two new assessors knocking on their doors sometime in the next 12 months.

The town is undertaking a full-scale revaluation, and field assessors Dennis Berube and Paul Binette will soon be out photographing properties and measuring homes, businesses, garages, sheds, pools, decks, additions and anything else taxable.

The assessing team, of O'Donnell Associates in Auburn, will also ask homeowners to let them look around inside.

"We'll make exterior and interior inspections of properties," John O'Donnell said. "If we don't find people home, we'll make a second call at a later time. Going inside helps us gauge the relative quality of the workmanship and materials used in the construction of the home. It's very helpful to go inside, because you get to talk to someone who knows the building. We also get to talk about the program and what we're trying to accomplish."

But O'Donnell said even if the assessors do not go inside a building, the valuation should still be fair.

"We don't have a problem with gauging the value of a building from the outside," O'Donnell said. "We look at thousands of houses from the outside every year. We're pretty good at knowing what we're looking at."

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BACK BEHIND BARS, AND LOVING IT—Crescent Park School third-grader Sheena Hunt offers up a big smile through the jungle-gym bars last week on the first day of school. SAD 44's 1,071 students returned to classes last Wednesday. More than 900 of those students are located at the Telstar complex this year. CPS has set up school in the former teachers' parking lot. CPS principal David Murphy said so far school-life in the portable village has presented no noteworthy problems. "With the exception of lunch being late on day one," Murphy said, "we haven't even had the problems we usually have on the opening week of school. Last year at Crescent Park it took over 30 minutes to load the buses and get them off-site on the first day. This year, it took us less than ten minutes on the first day. We've fine tuned it down to less than five minutes now."

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Telstar soccer Booters off to a strong start

By WENDY HANSCOM

Telstar High School's soccer team is off to a winning start.

In the season opener Friday, the Rebels shut out Mountain Valley Conference opponent Leavitt 4-0.

Coach Bob Remington said the team is playing well and should put up a good fight against all its MVC rivals.

"We should be contenders for a league title," Remington said. "We're trying to develop a balanced attack and improve in all areas."

One thing that may help the Rebels along the road to the MVC title or Western Maine Class C playoffs is depth.

Telstar lost Nathan Emery, Steve Remington, Adam Taylor, Nathan Clukey and Doug Bennett to graduation, and Zachary Chamberlin is playing for Dirigo this year.

But the soccer program has eight returning lettermen, plenty of promising newcomers and 14 freshmen.

Veteran players include seniors Chris Howe, Josh Fogg and Sean Gilson; juniors Tim Remington and Kevin Mullen and sophomores Ben Fogg, Adam Newell and Chuck Mason.

New to the varsity squad are senior Nate Harvey; juniors Todd Wing, Sean Kangas and Rich Diaz; sophomores Taylor Olson and Ryan

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Bingo hall a no go

Passamaquoddys no longer interested in Albany site

By WENDY HANSCOM

The Passamaquoddy Indian tribe is no longer interested in setting up a 1,000-seat, high-stakes bingo hall in Albany.

A local backer of the hall said he was disappointed by the news, but not really surprised.

"I haven't heard anything and my lawyers haven't heard anything," Earl Tyler of Bethel said. "We've been writing letters, but have never had a reply. It's business I guess. I wouldn't be surprised if that was the story, they haven't been doing anything, but I wish they would give us the courtesy to reply."

A change in Passamaquoddy leadership may have iced the project.

Tyler said last year the project had former tribal governor Robert Newell's support, but Newell resigned in February. James Stevens was elected new tribal governor.

Tyler said the new tribal administration's attitude about the project has been very volatile, going from indifference, to enthusiasm, back to apparent indifference now.

Stevens told The Citizen last week that the tribe no longer has any plans for a bingo hall the unorganized township. "The time for that has passed," Stevens

said. "We're not interested in it anymore. We're not interested in developing a casino down there at all."

Stevens said he had no other comments on the project.

"The change in the governor has changed their attitude toward the project," Tyler said. "In another year it might be different."

The proposed hall generated plenty of controversy last fall when it was first reported in November.

Local residents opposed to the project quickly drafted protest petitions.

In January, 40 Albany residents attending a public informational meeting on the proposed hall voiced unanimous opposition to the plan.

The project had been promoted by developers as a fundraiser for Passamaquoddy projects and programs. High-stakes bingo promoters also said the hall could generate up to 40 new jobs and help fill up local restaurants and hotels with up to 700 out-of-town players on 27 off-ski season weekends a year.

Developers needed approval and a zoning change from the Land Use Regulation Committee before the hall could be built. But LURC never received applications for the hall, according to LURC official Catherine Varney.

Great Brook dredger identified

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Robert Lowell of Newry has admitted to hiring local contractor Edward Bennett to bulldoze Great Brook, near Route 26, according to the state Department of Environmental Protection.

The dredging was intended to solve a flooding problem, but the work was undertaken without a permit, and in apparent violation of the state's Natural Resources Protection Act.

The DEP is currently drafting a consent agreement that will call for a formal admission of guilt, restorative measures and a fine, according to DEP enforcement officer Greg Beane.

Lowell told The Citizen that after being frustrated by years of unsuccessful attempts to find a state agency to fix the flooding problem, he finally decided to take matters into his own hands.

"It was a public safety problem," Lowell said of the Route 26 flooding. "It has been going on for years and it's getting worse."

And Lowell predicted that logging in the Brook's watershed by International Paper is likely to make the problem even more severe in the future.

The DEP's Beane agreed with Lowell, at least as far as the flooding problem is concerned. "It seems to me like something needed to be done," Beane said, "but they went about it all the wrong way. They could have gotten a permit and gone about it in more environmentally sound manner."

Lowell's direct-action approach to the problem is seldom encountered in the 1990s, Beane said. "As people are made aware of environmental laws, it's pretty rare to see someone put in a bulldozer and dredge a brook."

Lowell said he is waiting to see the consent agreement before deciding what his next step will be.

Someone working in Bear River?

The DEP has also received work of possible illegal dredging in the Bear River.

Beane said the matter has not yet been assigned to an inspector, but if it proves to be true, it would be vigorously pursued.

"I wouldn't be busting my butt to get out to Great Brook and then ignore a report of Bear River being dredged," he said.

Woodstock's Hi-Vu Farm honored

Brad and Carla Phillips of Woodstock are the 1993 winners of the 1993 Maine Dairy Farm of the Year award.

The Phillips purchased the Hi-Vu farm in 1985. Since then, they have completed numerous conservation practices such as building a manure pit and a heavy use protection area for feeding and exercise. They have also installed a unique roof water management system where all roof run-off is collected. On their land, they have added 3,000 feet of drainage tile and put 24 acres into

contour strip cropping.

Two rock plunge pools have been built to collect water from road culverts and a spring has been developed into a watering system for their rotational grazing program. The Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District recognized the Phillips for their accomplishments with their 1990 Cooperator of the Year Award.

The herd of registered Holsteins at Hi-Vu Farm has made remarkable progress in the eight years they have been located in Woodstock.

The annual milk production per cow has increased 6,000 lbs. during that span to a present rolling herd average of 21,300. The herd size has nearly doubled during those eight years. Currently there are 60 milking cows and 42 head of young stock at Hi-Vu Farm.

Their daughters, Emily and Lacy, are also very much involved in the farm operation and have recently started to exhibit some of the Hi-Vu cattle at local fairs.

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GREGORY P. HERRICK

Economic study begins

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A year-long study is now underway to examine economic diversification and development opportunities in the Bethel/Evans Notch Region.

The project is funded through a Rural Development Grant from the U.S. Forestry Service to the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. The work is being carried out by George P. Herrick, who was hired in July by the project's advisory committee.

The three-phase economic study will examine the towns of Andover, Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Newry, Woodstock, Upton and the unorganized township of Albany.

The first phase of the study will include indepth collection of data on the area's current economic make-up and condition. Manufac-

turing, agriculture, tourism, retail sales and services will be included.

Local, state and national sources on markets will then be consulted to identify potential expansion areas, and research will be conducted to discover development programs and opportunities offered by public and private development agencies.

In addition, mail order and cottage industries will be researched to discover what potential they hold for the area's many skilled craft and tradespeople, Herrick said.

In the second phase, the data will be analyzed, reference lists compiled and strategic plans for developing and diversifying the economy identified. The focus will be on how to expand on the area's many resources and assets.

The third phase will consist of several public forums and meetings

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AWARD WINNING FARM FAMILY—The Phillips family of Woodstock was chosen Maine's Dairy Farm of the Year. Brad and Carla Phillips, shown here with their daughters Emily, left, and Lacy, will receive the award at the Eastern States Exposition banquet this fall in Springfield, Mass.

(Photo by Duane Hayes)

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Letters

ON BEING NEIGHBORS

To the Editor:

Thanks for your editorial on "Pulling Together" (Citizen Sept. 1). Thanks, too, to area fire departments for showing the value of regional thinking.

Not long ago "community" meant neighborhood or local crossroads. More recently neighborhoods began to understand their interconnection as town communities. Today our "community" is at least as large as the boundaries of SAD44, and it is growing rapidly.

The only way for us all to prosper in the future is to bring all of our local town resources to a common table and talk about sharing and cooperation.

It works well in fire emergencies. Let's look for other opportunities.

Steve Wight
Newry

THANKS FOR THE FLOWERS

To the Editor:

I want to congratulate Amy Davis and the Garden Club on the flowers at the top of Main Street. They are beautiful.

Next year I would like to see the trough returned to lower Maine Street (filled with flowers?) or if that's not possible, how about removing the tar and have flowers at that end of town?

L. Franklyn
Albany

CCAT focuses on 'impaired driving'

On Thursday, Sept. 16, at 7 p.m., the Community Chemical Awareness Team (CCAT) will sponsor an entertaining night of laughter and fun to focus attention on the serious problem of "impaired driving." The site of this event is the Helen C. Berry Auditorium at Telstar Regional High School and there is no charge for admittance.

Local humorist Joe Perham will emcee the program, which will feature entertainment by Mike Miclon, a well-known magician in the western Maine area, and Hugh Chatfield, a young man who lived through a very bad "impaired driving" accident and has struggled back to the point where he can tell his serious story with wit and humor. Chatfield spoke to the seniors at Telstar last spring and was very well received by them.

On the following evening, Sept. 7, at 7:30 p.m., there will be a candlelight service at the Bethel Alliance Church across from Telstar Regional High School. The service will be led by Pastor Nathan Seckinger in remembrance of friends and loved ones who have lost their lives or been seriously injured in "impaired driving" accidents. People who have been personally affected by such accidents and who want to make the point that such accidents cause needless pain and suffering are urged by CCAT to attend the service to help raise the public's awareness.

During the week of these events, a vehicle wrecked in an "impaired driving" accident will be placed in the parking area in front of the Bethel Alliance Church in order to help draw attention to the week's theme.

These efforts to make people more aware of the devastating effects of impaired driving are being organized by the Community Chemical Awareness Team and supported financially by the Regional Partnership of Andover, Bethel, Greenwood, Newry, and Woodstock.

Tree-growth eligibility limited

Landowners participating in Maine's tree growth tax law program who harvest forest products only for their own use no longer qualify for the program, because of a change made to the law during the last legislative session, according to Susan J. Bell, director of the Maine Forest Service.

The change affects landowners who indicated on their original tree growth tax program application, or in their management plan, that products harvested from the land would only be for personal use. The personal use provision of the tree growth tax law only applied to parcels of fewer than 100 acres.

Maine's tree growth tax law sets the valuation of land used primarily for growing trees commercially on the basis of current use rather than on the land's potential market value if it were used for some other purpose.

Affected owners have three op-

tions before April 1, 1994. They may:

--withdraw from the tree growth tax program and pay a reduced penalty;

--refile an application by April 1, 1994 without penalty and prepare a management plan within one year that includes the goal of producing commercial forest products; or

--transfer the land to the farm or open space tax programs without penalty.

"I urge landowners to inform themselves about this change and to carefully consider their options. If they fail to act before the April 1, 1994 deadline, municipalities must remove the unqualified land from the tree growth program and assess a significant penalty as provided by statute," Bell said.

Additional information is available from the Maine Forest Service at 1-800-367-0223 (in state) or 287-2791.

Fireworks viewing

The North American Ski Areas Association Eastern Regional trade show will be held Sept. 13 and 14 at Sunday River Ski Resort in Newry.

As part of the trade show, the pyrotechnical company Atlas Advanced will be demonstrating fireworks available for ski area special events.

The demonstration will not be an uninterrupted display--there will be pauses--but Sunday River has welcomed anyone who wishes to watch the demonstration.

Viewers are asked to park in lot 6 (to the right on the way to White Cap) and walk down to the White Cap lodge to view the display.

The demonstration is scheduled to take place from 7:30 to 8 p.m.

REACH SEEKS VOLUNTEERS

The Rape Education and Crisis Hotline (REACH) is seeking volunteers to staff its 24-hour hotline. REACH provides crisis intervention, support and referral services, throughout Oxford County, to victims of sexual assault. The services are confidential and free of charge.

Volunteers choose their own shifts and work only as many hours as they are comfortable. For an application or more information, call the REACH office at 743-9777 or leave a message at 1-800-622-2365.

VFW POST 11363

National V.F.W. Service Officers will be available at the Post's Sept. 9 meeting to answer questions about the VA system. Anyone with questions is asked to attend this meeting.

The meeting will begin at 7 p.m.



FIELD OF DEVELOPMENT DREAMS--Developer Heinle Merrill and Bethel Town Manager Madeleine Henley look over the rear section of town's 6.2-acre lot on Cross Street. Merrill and Sunday River Ski Resort owner Les Otten have offered to purchase the property for inclusion in the proposed 36-acre, \$25-million Victoria Station commercial development. Negotiations between the town and the developers are continuing, Henley said, with discussion focussed on the town's options for relocating its facilities. The Bethel Highway Department and Ambulance Service garages are currently located there, as is a sand-pile that, according to DEP regulations, would have to be housed if it were to be moved.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

Newry

Powder Ridge extension granted

By WENDY HANSCOM

Newry planners last week granted a one-year extension to the developers of the town's largest subdivision.

The renewal means Glover Development Corp of Bethel will not have to go through the full-scale application process again--even though much of the development remains incomplete three years after the original permits were issued.

The terms of the renewal stipulate that the developers must increase visibility at a "blind hill" in Powder Ridge's Douglass Road before building more than 10 dwelling units beyond that hill.

When Glover officials submitted the renewal application in July, the board questioned the safety of a sharp crest in the Douglass Road.

At the board's last meeting, the developers proposed cutting back the hill when another road is built to intersect at the hummock.

Road Commissioner Virgil "Tink" Konkright told the board last Wednesday that if the road is refigured according to Glover's plan, visibility at the crest will increase from 88 feet to 250-275 feet.

"The visibility from one side of

the hill to the other is approximately 88 feet," Konkright said. "That doesn't give you very much time if somebody happens to be in the middle of the road. It's somewhat of a problem, but there isn't much traffic there now either."

"I would want to monitor it as the work is done," he said. "We might want to make a couple of adjustments as we go."

Original plans for the road were approved under the town's old ordinance, which the road meets.

But board member Joseph Aloisio said he felt the road should be brought up to the town's new, stiffer ordinance.

Chairman Don Sandstrom said it was questionable whether or not the town has any legal right to require that the road be brought up to the town's new standards.

Glover had previously said they have "vested rights," or had invested enough money in the project so that bringing the road up to the town's current code would create an undue hardship, Sandstrom told the board. Settling the issue in court would not benefit the town or the developers, he said.

Several board members also said they were worried that as more lots

are sold and built on the increased traffic would create an even greater safety hazard.

The board ultimately voted to grant the one-year extension, with the requirement that visibility at the hummock be improved before more than 10 dwelling units are built above the sharp crest.

Glover representatives also presented the board with a letter guaranteeing a \$15,000 performance bond to the town.

Proposed glass repair shop

The board also reviewed Albert Small's request to open a auto glass repair shop across from the town office.

Small was asked to provide letters from the town's fire chief and the Oxford County Sheriff's Office stating the agencies could provide protection, and to return to the next meeting for probable approval.

Bear River bulldozed

Sandstrom also told the board that Game Warden Rick Mills of Andover has reported that a section of Bear River has been bulldozed near Conrad Parent's residence.

Code Enforcement Officer Konkright was notified of the report, Sandstrom said.

Study

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to discuss the findings of the study. The final goal of the project is to bring the area together in a concerted effort to plan for its future. The meetings will focus on investment opportunities and intelligent, sustainable growth that benefits the entire area, as well as Oxford County and the State of Maine.

Herrick studied economics at the University of Maine and graduated with distinction in May 1993. In

1992 he was the university intern for Sen. William S. Cohen, and he has worked in the senator's offices in Washington, D.C. and Bangor.

A graduate of Edward Little High School, Herrick attended Bridgton Academy in 1988. He is a 17-year resident of Mechanic Falls, but plans to live in downtown Bethel while conducting the study.

Throughout the project, Herrick will work closely with an advisory

committee representing many segments of the local community. Members of the committee are: Robin Zinchuk, Mark Hughes, Cathy Newell, Rick Whitney, Don Feeney, Madeleine Henley, Leon Favreau, Jim Sysko, Rolly Ortega and Ron Kendall.

Anyone interested in learning more about the study or contributing to it may contact Herrick or the committee at the Chamber office.

Assessors

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The town is doing the revaluation to update its tax records.

"In Greenwood in particular there are two major goals," O'Donnell said, "to establish the accurate values of properties and to make sure the values are consistent. That doesn't exist in Greenwood now."

Binette told selectmen last week that he estimated that the revaluation will take about a year to complete.

"We will be making contact with property owners within the next few weeks and, starting with recent sales, develop schedules on which to build," Binette said. After the recent-sales work is done, the assessors will work their way through the town and detail the final property valuations.

Binette said revaluation is not meant to raise taxes. The usual outcome, he said, is that one-third of

the town's property value goes up, one-third goes down and one-third stays the same.

O'Donnell said anyone unhappy with their valuation can come into the town office, review the assessors' notes and ask for an explanation and/or another on-site visit.

The assessing team will be staying in town as soon as suitable housing is rented. Berube and Binette will carry identification.

THIS WEEK AT THE

Moses Mason House

A potluck supper hosted by the Special Projects Committee preceded the 28th annual meeting of the Bethel Historical Society held Thursday evening in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. The meeting was called to order by retiring president Jane W. Hosterman, who thanked the Special Projects Committee headed by Persis Post for hosting the supper and Barbara H. Brown for the special flower arrangements.

She asked for a moment of silence in memory of those members who had died since the last annual meeting: Greta Gould Clifford, Richard N. Bryant, Arthur Cummings, Elsie Davis, Robert D. Hastings, Dorothy Hanscom Jones, Hazel H. Newell and Lucia V. Wilson.

President Hosterman provided some of the highlights of the past year: successful and special events including Homecoming Day, Heritage Day, Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show/Dr. Moses Mason's Birthday, and Sulfury Canada Days, the addition of over 100 new members, the donation of a wide variety of items to the society's collection from more than 60 donors, the publication of *Auto and walking tour brochures*, successful Mason and Kilgore family reunions held at the Dr. Moses Mason House, the hosting of Maine Society, Sons of the American Revolution by the Bethel Historical Society, the award of a \$15,000 challenge grant from the Bingham Benterment Fund to support the forthcoming Richardson Lakes history expected to be published by the society in 1994, the receipt of a grant from the Maine Arts Commission to support the appearance of the Portland Brass Quintet at a Fourth of July picnic on the grounds of the Dr. Moses Mason House, the holding of the second annual Hall Memorial Lecture this year featuring Dr. David C. Smith of the University of Maine speaking on the "Main Themes of Maine History," the sponsorship of the film, "Timothy's Quest" through a grant from the Maine Arts Commission, and lastly, but most importantly, hundreds of hours of volunteer labor supplied by scores of members and friends for various society projects and activities during the past year.

President Hosterman announced that the next meeting would be held on Oct. 7 and feature the annual "What's It?" Anyone with an interesting or unusual item was asked to bring it for discussion by those attending the October meeting. Also at that meeting Polly Davis will be detailing the history of the Old Grover Hill Road, with slides and commentary reflecting her research. Marvin Ouwinga, chairman of the Nominating Committee, announced the proposed slate of officers and trustees: president (one-year term) Charles Raymond; vice-president (one-year term) Walter Hatch; secretary and clerk of trustees (one-year term) Shireen Vineyard; treasurer (one-year term) Rebecca P. Kendall; trustees for three years: Jane Hosterman, John B. Head. The slate was approved without dissent.

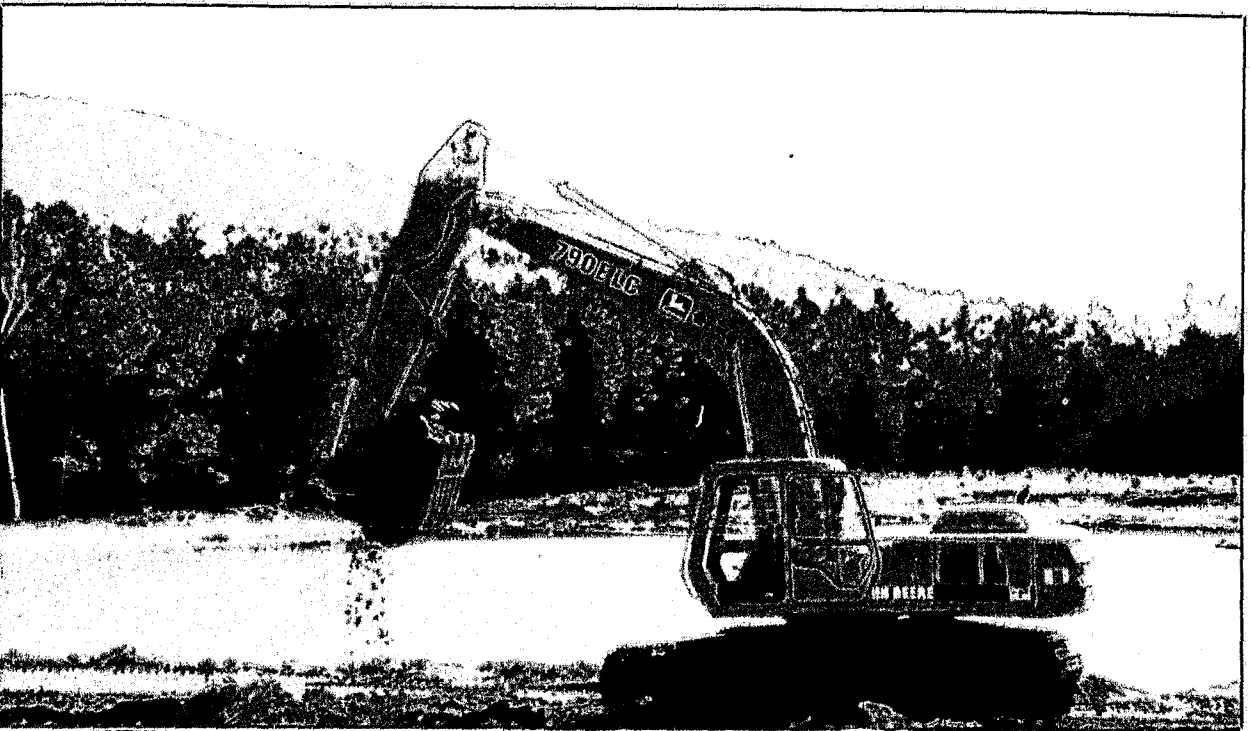
Chairman of the Board of Trustees Margaret Joy Tibbetts presented the seventh annual Margaret MacArthur Noll Volunteer Service Award, which is given each annual meeting for outstanding volunteer service, and honors a remarkable society volunteer. The award was presented to Rosalind Rowe Chapman, a charter member of the society whose forebears go back to Bethel's earliest days. Mrs. Chapman was honored for her long-time service as a guide in the museum since it opened in 1974, as an active member of the Museum Committee since 1974, and as head of the society's Publications Committee. Very interested in historical research, she worked for years with the late Eva Bean on Bethel's history; she presented programs on the history of Main, Park and Church Streets at society meetings which were later published in the "Counter." Long a champion of the annual "So You Think You Know Bethel" contest, she served as a trustee of the society from 1972-73. A frequent contributor to the society's annual fund-raising campaigns, she also has donated a number of artifacts to the collection during her many years of membership.

Speaker for the evening was Dr. Maurice M. Whitten, retired University of Southern Maine chemistry professor who spoke on science and technology during the Civil War and the implication of these two fields upon later wars.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Judy Shedd, D.O. opened an office for the practice of family medicine at the home of the late Dr. R.R. Tibbetts (now owned by Bernard and Karen Brown Mohr). Paul Polvin, M.D. was appointed part-time temporary physician at the Bethel Area Health Center. A driving range was added to the Bethel Inn golf course. Marriage: Mary Phillippe and Brian Croteau. Deaths: Jennie Perkins, El-

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DIGGING FOR SNOW--Construction of Sunday River Ski Resort's 21.5 acre snowmaking pond along the Sunday River Road has been underway this summer. Between six or seven acres will be excavated before the snow flies, according to resort spokesman Skip King. Snowmakers should be able to pump water from the pond this winter, King said. The pond is located near the Monkey Brook/Sunday River Road intersection, between the Sunday River Road and the river.

(Photo by Sharon McNeill/Sunday River)

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20 years ago: Merrill was elected Bethel Historical Society approved lunch program with prices approved; secondary 55 cents, additional Dan Manson resigned the SAD44 Board. Cummings, Ch Douglass, Mata Elizabeth Bishop, Rev. Jane Pears McMahon, Dean Franklin Flander.

30 years ago: over Sunday River and 26 (near Poultry Farm). (There was one on this site.) I moved his office hospital to his home (formerly of Bethel Hill).

was fatally injured Road bridge on A. James Fiske, Yorker Motel (Rostay), was chemistry, math at Dixfield H. Donald G. Be Army Comm.

"exceptionally" performance of duties as secretary to Fort Devens.

Donald, Deaths: Julia Turner, Al.

40 years ago: offered a broke Wheeler received equipment at School playground. Bean family re Elmer Bean r Birth: Clyde, Frances Morrill, Deaths: Herbert, ner.

50 years ago: Bethel Village to retain the government by neighborhood held at the Mabel Greenle and Millie W. was named for Grammar School (razed in 1955).

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sie Smith.

20 years ago: Barbara Hulbert Merrill was elected president of the Bethel Historical Society. New prices approved for the school lunch program were: elementary, 35 cents; secondary, 40 cents, adults 55 cents, additional milk, 8 cents. Dan Manson resigned as director of the SAD44 Board. Births: Matthew Cummings, Christina Gammon, Douglass Matangelo. Marriages: Elizabeth Bishop and David Pratt; Rev. Jane Pears and Rev. Dwight McMahon. Deaths: Shirley Hobbs, Franklin Flanders, Daisy Kimball.

30 years ago: The new bridge over Sunday River on Routes 2, 5, and 26 (near the former Roberts Poultry Farm) was completed. (There was once a covered bridge on this site.) Dr. James Hudson moved his office and small animal hospital to his recently acquired home (formerly the home of Robert and Sarah Kirk) on Route 26 south of Bethel Hill. Albert Morton, Sr. was fatally injured near the Branch Road bridge on Route 26 in Newry. A. James Fiske, owner of the New Yorker Motel in Mayville (now Rostay), was instructor of chemistry, mathematics and physics at Dixfield High School. Capt. Donald G. Bennett received the Army Commendation Medal for "exceptionally meritorious performance of duty" while assigned as secretary to the General Staff at Fort Devens. Birth: Kelly Macdonald. Deaths: Douglas Cushing, Julia Turner, Albert Morton, Sr.

40 years ago: Gerald Walker suffered a broken arm and Hazel Wheeler received a broken hip on equipment at the Crescent Park School playground. The annual Bean family reunion was held at the Elmer Bean residence in Gilead. Birth: Clyde Crockett. Marriage: Frances Morrill and Walter Clark. Deaths: Herbert Swan, Lelia Skinner.

50 years ago: The voters of Bethel Village Corporation decided to retain the corporation form of government by a 2-1 margin. A neighborhood farewell party was held at the home of Sherman and Mabel Greenleaf in honor of Gerard and Millie Williams. Doris Lord was named principal of the Bethel Grammar School on Elm Street (razed in 1955).

Farm

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When not in the rotational pasture system, the milking cows are fed a total mixed ration consisting of haylage, corn silage, Maine-grown barley, soybean meal, distillers, and whole cottonseed. This feeding system has helped the Hi-Vu cows produce milk high in total solids, which is indicated by a herd protein test of 3.4 percent and fat test of 3.9 percent.

One home-bred cow has a protein index of 64 pounds and is, therefore, in demand for bull contracts. "She's genetically able to pass on the ability to produce more protein," Carla said. "She's on of the top 5,000 to 10,000 cows in the country."

Brad Phillips with the assistance of veterinarian Dr. Richard Whitaker give the farm's superior cows a hormone which increases the ovulation process, the cows are then bred and the embryos are transferred to other, less superior cows. The cows bring the calves to term.

The Phillips also sell the embryos

to other farms.

Both Brad and Carla are involved in numerous farm and community organizations. Brad is a director and chairperson of the State Farm Bureau Dairy Committee. Carla is vice-chair of the State Farm Bureau Women's Committee, and they both are on the county board of Farm Bureau. Brad is also president of the Oxford County DHIA as well as region director and member of Agri-Mark's Central Hauling Committee. Carla is on the county ASCS board while Brad is vice-chairperson of the Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Carla is also on the committee that organizes a new statewide activity in Maine called "Take Pride in Agriculture-Open Farm Day." Hi-Vu Farm is one of more than 80 farms (not just dairy farms) that open their doors to the public on a Sunday in July each year. Brad is also on the Maine Nutrition Council. Even though they are very busy at home, the Phillips still find time

to make substantial commitments to the dairy industry in Maine.

The "Dairy Farm of the Year" award is sponsored by the New England Green Pastures Committee. The judges for this year's contest were the previous five winners of this statewide award. The selection tour was arranged by the University of Maine Cooperative Extension. The Phillips will be recognized on Sept. 17 at Eastern States Exposition along with recipients of this award from each of the other New England states.

The award came about in 1947 when New Hampshire Gov. Charles Dale challenged other New England states to produce better pastures.

Over the years the New England Green Pastures Committee has evolved from promoting pastures and forage management to honoring an outstanding dairy family from each New England state for total management, both production and financial and the families' contribution to the agricultural community.

From the Bethel Police log:

Main Street fight; brewery music bubbles over

Saturday morning, police responded to a report of a fight near the Key Bank. When Bethel police arrived, off-duty Oxford County deputy Phil Taylor had already broken up the fight, according to the log. No charges were logged. Fight participants and witness were asked to complete statements.

Saturday evening, police responded to a report of a loud, profane group of juveniles on Spring Street. Police talked to a group of juveniles in the area, who denied making too much noise.

Late Sunday evening, an anonymous caller reported loud music coming from the Sunday River Brewery. Police called the brewery and an employee assured police the music would be turned down. No further complaints were logged.

Sunday evening, police arrested David L. Rose, 24, of Mechanic Street in connection with the following charges: domestic assault, criminal mischief, possession of marijuana and the assault of Police Chief Dale Bellman and Sargent Darren Tripp.

In other recent police news, on August 24, Mike and Cathy Bennett of Church Street reported that the day after their wedding someone stole wedding cards containing \$160 from their Church Street home.

Soccer

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Chastanet and freshmen Tim Adams, Jason Berry, Wade Luxton, Cory Koch and Clint Myers.

Ben Fogg, Newell and Olson have various injuries and haven't had much playing time yet, Remington said, but the team has so much depth that some of the players need to work a little harder to get into game shape.

"A lot of people come off the bench, fill in and do well," Remington said. "I can't say I have 11 definite starters. If we have a weakness I can't think of what it is. We're concentrating on conditioning. We've played a lot of substitutes in the pre-season and as a result not everybody is in top condition."

The coach said competition in the MVC should be well balanced this year. Mountain Valley, Mt. Abram and Dirigo should be tough, he said.

The Rebels play the first home game of the season against Class B Lisbon on Friday at 3:30 p.m.

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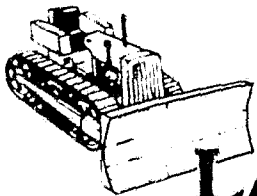
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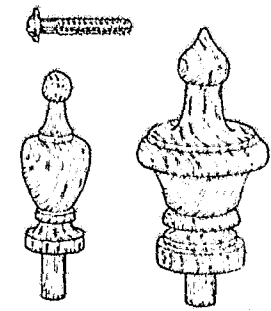
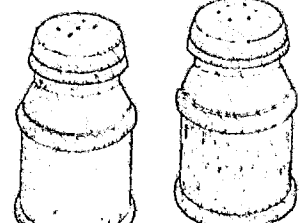
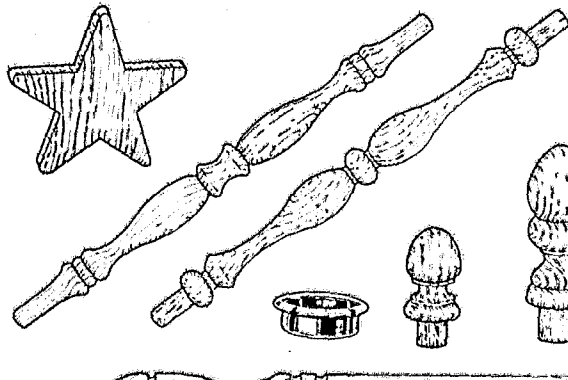
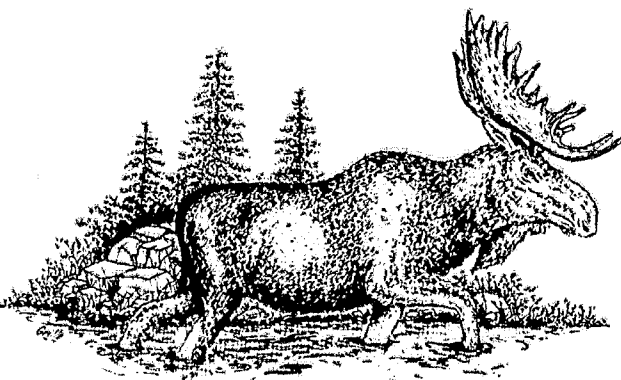
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By ANDREA WING

Esther Davis has had a monitor oil heating system installed. This will supplement her electric heat, which is very expensive to run in the Maine winters.

Mrs. Patricia Packard Moore had lunch with Esther this week. Mrs. Moore is from Fresno, Calif., and has been visiting the area and her father, Mansfield Packard of Locke Mills. While she was here Esther gave her a picture of Mrs. Moore's mother when she was young.

Bill Newell is starting a new job Monday. Bill is going to be working at Ford Land in Auburn. Bill had worked for Ripley and Fletcher as a car salesman for many years.

Neil Thurlow recently took third place in a golf tournament in his division. The tournament was held at Norway Country Club. Ellie, Neil's mother, told Andrea Wing that he just loves golf and plays every chance he gets. Neil is going to be in the seventh grade this year at Telstar Middle School.

Claribel Poland celebrated her 81st birthday on Aug. 24. She received a phone call from her daughter, Beverly Dayton in Florida, and granddaughter Leilani Bertrum who also lives in Florida. Claribel received many gifts, including some lobsters and shrimp for her supper. She also received a gold bracelet, gift certificates and money, among other things. Cleo Ryerson stopped in to say Happy Birthday. Claribel said it was a very enjoyable day with lots of surprises.

Andrea Wing's neighbors, Natasha and Alex Poland, called on her and Richard one evening last week. They are Andrea's great-niece and nephew. They brought her a dozen eggs that Alex got from his own chickens that he's raising. The visit was very enjoyable, for even though we're neighbors everyone is so busy we never see each other.

Andrea Wing visited her brother Vernon Poland at Ledgeview Nursing Home on Friday night. While she was there she stopped in to see Zella Silver and had a nice visit. Zella seems to be doing quite well. Zella's daughter, Janet Benson, was visiting at the same time.

Larry Billings reports from the Woodstock Historical Society that it wants to thank Annie Crockett for organizing the plant sale, and Francis Brooks who gave some greeting cards to the society. Curator Larry Billings also reports that he has given a book on Britain to the Historical Society. Reminder: The museum will close the second Saturday of September.

Andrea Wing attended the 50th wedding anniversary party for Char-

lie and Mary Fillebrown in Waterford on Sunday. Charlie served on the Oxford County ASC Committee where Andrea worked for many years.

Goldie Mason was named "Employee of the Month" at Bolster's Heights Care Facility in Lewiston, in the Skilled Care Unit, which is a branch of the CMMC Hospital. Goldie has been with the facility for two years and is a shift charge nurse. Congratulations, Goldie.

Tyler Craig Moore had supper with his grandmother Lolalee Dillingham on Wednesday. His mom and dad were busy and needed a helping hand with the little guy, and of course grammie is always glad to have him.

Two coyotes were spotted in Alfred Bay's field on Monday while Bill LeFlemme was mowing. Bill said they watched him for a long time before running off into the woods.

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

The Historical Society points out antiques can be elegant and valuable. They enrich museums about history. The Historical Society points out, also, that the natural setting of Woodstock is one of our town's chief virtues. Our forests, hills and lake are beautiful. Mary Billings and Kathleen Bean watched the museum recently. Much thanks. Curator Larry Billings gave an art print of some flowers and two large books on colonial interiors to the Historical Society. The Society thanks everyone who has visited this summer and hope you have enjoyed the collections. The houses and other buildings in Woodstock are typical of most small towns in Maine. In this respect, and others, Woodstock is a representative New England community. The Historical Society has promoted history and our cultural heritage to the best of its ability. Your willingness to foster these causes is very important. Please continue to support and encourage the society.

The Universalist Church of Bryant Pond will have 9 a.m. worship service starting Sept. 12 with Rev. Earle McKinney, and Mrs. Olga Gellatly as organist. On Sept. 19, Mr. Joseph Perham will bring the sermon. Rev. McKinney will be preaching again on Sunday, Sept. 26, Oct. 3, and Oct. 10. Rev. McKinney is a retired minister and resides in Gray.

Every Tuesday evening is Bryant Pond Hour on Channel IV T.V. at 7 p.m. Rev. Linwood Hanson heads up the hour usually with a message and other things.

Joseph and Maggie Hoyt have

been visiting their dad, James Hoyt and grandparents, Ken and Alice Hoyt this week.

Callers of Beatrice Farnum this past week have been Althea Stevens, Jenny and Danny, Leatrice and Crystal Chase, Rhonda and Lisa Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson, Duxbury, Mass., have been visiting relatives in the area. Friday night they were supper guests of Beatrice Farnum.

Ray Crockett visited his grandparents, Ken and Alice Hoyt on Thursday. JoAnn, Ray and Shawn stayed for lunch.

Judith Grover Tent No. 17 will hold a regular meeting on Sept. 13 at the Grange Hall. There will be a tasting party.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Wednesday, Sept. 15 at the Town Annex at 10:30 a.m. for a brown bag lunch and holiday open house workshop.

Recent callers on Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway have been Victor Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Estes and daughter.

Alice Wardwell called on her sister, Ruth Dunham recently. Besie House and Ruth Dunham called on their aunt Helen Grover on Sunday.

Elderwood Manor

By FLORENCE HALL

Gertrude Hutchins enjoyed a birthday party recently. Those present were son Robert, wife Sharon, daughter Deanna Fowler of Camden; Judy Hall, Roxbury; Nancy Wardwell, Sally Wardwell's sons Travis and Andy, Dorothy Bradley, Helen Cormier and Susan Gould, Mexico.

Louise Powell, Hale and Bernice Wing, Dixfield visited Alma Hewey on Tuesday.

Nancy Fox, Bethel and sister Betsy of So. Paris called on Anne Fox on Sunday.

Andover bus riders brought flowers and gifts to Gertrude Hutchins on Wednesday.

Nephew Louis Hall took Florence shopping in Rumford on Wednesday.

Thought for the day: A dog is loved by old and young. He wags his tail, and not his tongue.

North Newry

By GIL SEELEY

Happy Birthday to Fire Chief "Tink" Konright, and Deputy Fire Chief Alan Fleet. "A" spark neglected makes a mighty big fire sometimes.

Members of the "Newry Bowling Gang" who went to the Oxford Lanes in Rumford were: Betsy

Clark, Karlene Bachelder, Gil Seeley, Louise Tetley, Doris Parent, Bea Lowell, Irene Hadsfield and Olive Anderson. Rena Powers and Jim Anderson were guests. Betsy was high on the triples and singles with one string of 108. Karlene was close behind with one string of 101. Irene was also high on the singles. Betsy had four spares and one strike, Karlene had three spares and two strikes, Gil had one spare, Bea had two spares and one strike, Louise had one spare, Doris had two spares and one strike and Irene had four spares.

Dan and Pat Riley of Milan, N.H., were recent visitors of Louise and Norm Tetley.

Which news was the most exciting last week, the hurricane or Michael Jackson? "It's best to sit tight when you don't know what is coming next."

Et-cet-er-a....

Well, I hear that they will teach sex in high school...safe sex, that is...I wonder how many will graduate with "honors" after the exams.

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

William and Ginny Aridas of Holbrook, N.Y., arrived on Thursday to spend the weekend with her parents, Vernon and Miriam Inman. They attended the wedding of Gary Inman and Lesley Rowse along with Walter, Kim, Vernie and Waltie, Jr. Inman and Marshall and Tony Inman.

Owen, Donna and Dennis Melville from Woodland spent the weekend with her parents, Ivan and Ann Proctor and also attended the Rowse-Inman wedding.

Julie Veysey and daughter Kristin and friend of Falmouth visited her grandmother Louvie Coffin the first of the week.

William and Sally Berry, Daniel, Ryan and Katey have returned home after spending a two-week vacation with her parents, Larry and Laura Davis in Rochester, N.Y., and at family camp in the Adirondack Mountains.

The Eleanor B. Forbes Goodwill Group will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 14 at the Weeks' farm for a potluck dinner. Leone Penley will assist Evelyn Weeks as hostess. The program will be member's choice.

Locke Mills

By CRYSTAL LAKE

Lee and Mary Mills went to the South Paris Market Square Nursing Home to visit Mary's sister Cecil Winslow, nephew Leland Farr and cousin Kathleen Niemi.

Daniel and Diane Cole of Auburn were at Charlotte Cole's home in

Greenwood on Monday, Aug. 30 to help Charlotte with some work that needed to be done before winter comes. They were also dinner guests of Charlotte.

On Thursday, Sept. 2, Barbara Hathaway was a dinner guest at Charlotte Cole's home. Later Barbara and Charlotte went to No. Waterford and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones. Charlotte brought her guitar along and they had a sing-along. A neighbor of the Jones also came to enjoy this time.

Butch Fuller has been working in Iowa for F.E.M.A., the flood relief project.

Kevin Conway and Herb Dunham have been helping Leland Dunham cut up firewood for the winter. Also, on Sept. 12 there will be a Dunham reunion at Leland and Sylvia's home. All Dunhams are invited to attend.

On Monday, Aug. 30, Crystal Lake took her son Brent and friend Dana Howe to Maine Aquarium and then to Cascade Water Park in Saco.

Last Thursday, Charlotte Cole helped with the Woodstock Senior Citizens' dinner in Bryant Pond.

This week's Bethel Senior Citizens' dinner is being put on by the Greenwood Fire Department.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

I have just returned from Bailey Island where all was interesting and fun, even the weather.

Each day the sun rose over the curve of the Bay, where at most times it parted the mists and looked upon the sea. It was a beautiful sight. The mornings I shall never forget. From our cottage windows we could watch all the changes. But of course we didn't stay there all of the time but visited the beaches.

Everywhere the waters flashed a welcome to the sun, glared of the morning light. And nearly always there were sailboats going by or lobster boats at work. These boats signaled their own peculiar greetings to the new-come day.

The sun then moved on, leaving the boats to follow a lighted pathway beyond.

I presume the sun glinted all along the northern coast and bent slivers of light to all places.

Rocks, sand or tides were always present. One made by convulsions in the earth, another by gravity and time and the third by the moon and the sun. These are the ingredients that make up a special world along the coast.

One day the children had fun picking up spider crabs and taking them to little ponds which they made in the sand. To some they gave names. They picked up 40 or more of them.

Later they returned all of them to the sea.

The kelp was interesting. It has a short, strong, single stalk from the top of which bursts a cluster of many strap-like strands. At low water the strands float on the surface like pieces of harness. Therefore it is called horesetail kelp. It gives off a sharp sea smell of aromatic piney air.

We of course went to Lands End several times, but not always to shop. It was so lovely there that we often just sat and watched. Two evenings there were underwater divers which were interesting to watch. The scenery, too, was wonderful.

We did many other things like swimming and beach combing but the time came to leave for home, so we loaded our possessions and left.

When I came into my yard a deer was under my apple tree to welcome me home.

On Sunday the Holt family was at home: Robert, Jeri, Jennett of Windor, David of Norway and Ann. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Fran Piccirillo and daughter Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Betts were in Portsmouth on Monday.

Rena Curtis called on me on Monday and brought me blackberries and blueberries. Eleanor Inman visited Sunday evening.

High Street

West Paris

By RUSSELL YATES

There will be a dance on Sept. 11 at Locke Mills Town Hall with the Richard Fell Orchestra furnishing the music.

Glenn Virge from Boise, Idaho has been spending some time with the Archie Lovejoy family.

Andover

By KAREN McKAY

Students enrolled in the kindergarten class at Andover Elementary School this year are: Steven Anderson, Daniel Chenery, Arthur Clifford, Blake Conrad, Cynthia Farrington, Jessica Farrington, Brett Hutchins, Kayla Mills, Stephen Scotti and Edward Wilt.

The following is a listing of the Old Home Days parade Ellis River Riders Horse Club award winners: Best Parade Horse—first, "Remington," Megan Meisner; second, "Duce," Jeff Wilkins; third, "Star Dancer," Debbie Cayer. Best Parade Pony—first, "Star Stepper," Sara Lizotte; second, "Tramp," Keith Giroux; third, "Jesse James," Danny

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Agnes Gray School

By MARTA CLEMENTS

Another school year is off and running. We have new people to welcome, dates to make note of, a book fair, and new and old activities to work into our routine. Mornings will find our new crossing guard, Lisa Beebe, keeping an eye on children as they cross the road. Linda Ames will be her substitute. In the classrooms we are welcoming Ms. Wendy Riley, the Chapter 1 math teacher. Ms. Riley will be working directly with classroom teachers with our Math in Stride program.

Mrs. Cindy Mullen holds the position of teacher assistant, working mainly with Mrs. Merrill in grade two. Mrs. Susan Emerson is doing her practice teaching with me in the fifth grade. Mrs. Emerson is in the education program at Norwich University in Vermont. We are delighted to have her. Mrs. Natalie Santalucia is not new to SAD17, but has a return assignment to our two schools, and we are very pleased to welcome her back.

Mrs. Denise Biggers is our new kindergarten teacher, and we are welcoming her and all her brand new students. We expect them to have a totally successful year. Several other students are either new, or returning to our school. We are glad to have among us, Stephanie Hayes and James Ring, grade one; Dancella DeLancy, grade two; Ashley Hamel, Savannah Hamel and Joshua Pennington, grade three; Derrick DeLancy and Jacob Mallory, grade four; Michael Johnson, grade five and Justine Pennington, grade six. Welcome all.

Upcoming Dates and Activities Tuesday, Sept. 14, will be our annual Open House for grades two through six. Grades K and one held an open house before school began. However, they will be welcome on the 14th also, as we will be having a book fair all week, and it will be open from 6 to 7 p.m., the time of the open house. Please plan to attend to meet your children's teachers and to find out what is going on in the classrooms.

Our first Scholastic Book Fair will be held from Monday, Sept. 13 through Thursday, Sept. 16. We hope to complete the greatest amount of sales the first three days. There won't be another book fair before Christmas, so perhaps now would be a good time to stock up.

Beginning in October, the Parent Volunteer Group plan to hold their meetings on the first Tuesday of the month. They will be held in the library, probably at 6:30, but do watch for announcements.

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Agnes Gray School

By MARTA CLEMENTS

Another school year is off and running. We have new people to welcome, dates to make note of, a book fair, and new and old activities to work into our routine. Mornings will find our new crossing guard, Lisa Beebe, keeping an eye on children as they cross the road. Linda Ames will be her substitute. In the classrooms we are welcoming Ms. Wendy Riley, the Chapter I math teacher. Ms. Riley will be working directly with classroom teachers with our Math in Stride program. Mrs. Cindy Mullen holds the position of teacher assistant, working mainly with Mrs. Merrill in grade two. Mrs. Susan Emerson is doing her practice teaching with me in the fifth grade. Mrs. Emerson is in the education program at Norwich University in Vermont. We are delighted to have her. Mrs. Natalie Santaquida is not new to SAD17, but has a return assignment to our two schools, and we are very pleased to welcome her back.

Mrs. Denise Biggers is our new kindergarten teacher, and we are welcoming her and all her brand new students. We expect them to have a totally successful year. Several other students are either new, or returning to, our school. We are glad to have among us, Stephanie Hayes and James Ring, grade one; Danelia DeLancy, grade two; Ashley Hamel, Savannah Hamel and Joshua Pennington, grade three; Derrick DeLancy and Jacob Mallory, grade four; Michael Johnson, grade five and Justine Pennington, grade six. Welcome all.

Upcoming Dates and Activities
Tuesday, Sept. 14, will be our annual Open House for grades two through six. Grades K and one held an open house before school began. However, they will be welcome on the 14th also, as we will be having a book fair all week, and it will be open from 6 to 7 p.m., the time of the open house. Please plan to attend to meet your children's teachers and to find out what is going on in the classrooms.

Our first Scholastic Book Fair will be held from Monday, Sept. 13 through Thursday, Sept. 16. We hope to complete the greatest amount of sales the first three days. There won't be another book fair before Christmas, so perhaps now would be a good time to stock up.

Beginning in October, the Parent Volunteer Group plan to hold their meetings on the first Tuesday of the month. They will be held in the library, probably at 6:30, but do watch for announcements.

Speaking of announcements: At this time of year there are a great number of announcements, forms to fill out, and a variety of papers coming home almost daily. Parents, please be on the lookout for these items.

Our Parent Volunteer Coordinator Michelle Blake was in this week to check out our immediate needs for volunteers in the classroom. Michelle has our list of room mothers ready for the 1993-94 school year. We already send our thanks to these mothers: Shelly Tikander, kindergarten; Lisa Beebe and Deanna Abbott, grade one; Darlene Pilgrim, grade two; Jean Richards, grade three; Barbara Shead, grade four; Elaine Newell and Dixie Inman, grade five; Kim Inman and Michelle Blake, grade six. Our volunteers are not limited to mothers, so do not feel shy about volunteering. We do have a very active group of volunteers, and Mrs. Blake is the person to contact if you would like more information.

If you have driven by our school recently you will have noticed a new paint job. The front of the school certainly looks great. Also, there has been a lot of effort and hard work put in to establish a basketball court for our playground. This project has been spearheaded by Greg Inman, with help and donations from many others. The children are really looking forward to this corner of the playground. It should be ready before many more days go by. Many, many thanks to Greg and all the others who have made this a reality. Don't forget the Open House on Tuesday, Sept. 14, from 6 to 7 p.m.

KIMBALL RECEIVES AWARD AT MARY KAY SEMINAR

Aggie Kimball of East Bethel received the Circle of Achievement Award at the Mary Kay Cosmetics seminar held from July 15 to 25 in Dallas.

Kimball joined the company in 1980 and received the award for reaching \$500,000 in retail sales during the contest year.

COMPUTER FAIR

There will be a Computer Fair at the Telstar Cafeteria on Wednesday, Sept. 15, featuring a variety of computer systems from several vendors. The event is open to the public and to employees of the school district. The fair will be open from 2:45 to 3:45 for district staff and from 3:45 to 6 for the public.

school lunch menu

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 13

SAD44 Breakfast Program

Monday: Enriched honey bun, protein item, milk.
Tuesday: Cereal, fruit juice, protein item, milk.

Wednesday: Apple turnover, milk.

Thursday: Cereal, fruit juice, protein item, milk.
Friday: Enriched super donut, protein item, milk.

SAD44 Lunch Program

Monday: BBQ rib on a fresh hot roll, mixed veggies, pineapple chunks.

Tuesday: Grilled chicken nuggets, whipped potato, garden peas, dinner roll, chilled fruit.

Wednesday: Fresh baked pizza with meat topping, whole kernel corn, cinnamon applesauce.

Thursday: Turkey and gravy on a fresh hot biscuit, green beans with almonds, tropical fruit salad.

Friday: Hamburger deluxe with lettuce and tomato, golden brown French fries, cookie.

EXTENSION OFFERS MASTER COMPOSTER PROGRAM

Those interested in utilizing their yard and kitchen wastes more effectively will be interested in a new program being offered by the University of Maine Cooperative Extension. The Master Composter Workshop provides 12 hours of intensive training and materials in exchange for 30 hours of volunteer work in local communities.

"The time is coming when town dumps will no longer accept yard wastes," said Barbara Murphy, Extension Educator in Oxford County, "so this program provides an excellent opportunity to teach the public how to turn their waste materials into valuable compost."

Upon completion of the course, the graduates will then volunteer 30 hours of time in educational activities designed to help both individuals and groups who are interested in learning more about composting.

The Master Composter program will be held Mondays, Sept. 13, 20 and 27, and Wednesday, Sept. 29 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Oxford County Extension Office, 9 Olson Rd., So. Paris. There is no fee for the course and class size is limited to 25. For further information or to register for the course, call the Extension Office at 743-6329 or 1-800-287-1482.

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Eggert. Best Horse Drawn entry--antique surrey drawn by "Jack and Jill" driven by Gilles Ancil of West Peru.

Recent visitors at Betty Moore's were daughter Shirley Gelaran, husband Robert and girls Kristina and Lindsey who spent the week of the 4th. Also visiting were Betty's daughter Sharon and a friend, and daughter Sarah who came to pick up her oldest daughter Tammy who has been visiting with Betty for several weeks. Other visitors were Betty's grandson, Andrew Taylor and family--Robin, son Stephan, and daughter Shawna. Robert Moore, Betty's grandson and a friend spent Labor Day weekend. All were visiting from Massachusetts.

Congregational Church

Coming Events

Sept. 9, 6:30 p.m.--Hostess Committee meeting at Barbara Meisner's home.

Sept. 11--4-C's Ladies Prayer breakfast; 7 a.m.--Men's breakfast at Paris Hill; 1 p.m. Awana leaders meeting.

Winter Hours Resume

Sept. 12, 9:30 a.m.--Sunday School starts; 10:45 a.m.--Morning Worship.

Sept. 17--Awana Kick-off Day--2:45 p.m., Sparks; 6 p.m., evening clubs.

East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

Thaxter Littlefield's trailer home is for sale.

Milton Barker's daughter is renting Lawrence Darnum's house for the month of September. Carleton Barker has moved Milton's camp to Five Kezars.

Brenda Files has been having quite a few repairs done to her home.

Dwight and Mary Grover have a nice new deck built on the side of their home.

Bob Millett and Arthur Farrer from So. Paris have been doing work topping out a chimney for Albert E. Nelson Sr.

Pastor Janice and Everett Wilcox left Sunday afternoon to take their two grandchildren home after a short vacation with them.

Aisha and Jaffer Traish have had two young friends from Massachusetts visiting them at their cottage at Lake Keowaydin for a few days, and they have all enjoyed the boating and while here hiked up Pleasant Mountain.

Telstar sports notes:

HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER

The Telstar High School soccer squad opened its season with a 4-0 Mountain Valley Conference win over Leavitt.

Tim Remington, Cory Koch and Josh Fogg each booted in a goal in the first half. Ryan Chastanet, Chris How and Nate Harvey logged the assists.

Tim Remington topped off Rebel scoring in the second half with an assist from Cory Koch.

Goalkeeper Todd Wing had seven saves. Telstar took 28 shots on goal and the Hornets 16.

Coach Robert Remington said Chuck Mason, Sean Gilson, Howe, Tim Adams, Jason Berry and Wade Luxton played an excellent defensive game.

The Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War 1861-1865 Hannah F. Richardson Tent No. 19 met here on Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

with six members present. It was a very informal meeting. Discussion and reports were made about the National Convention which was held in Oklahoma City, Okla., this summer. Also, a discussion was held about the special reenactment which will take place on Capitol Park in Augusta on Saturday, Sept. 11.

Some members will be leaving early Saturday morning to attend this, and it is requested that members make some large molasses cookies to be taken to this program. They should be made and picked up on Friday.

For further information, please call Leslie Dean at 928-2611. The meeting was adjourned and the next meeting will be on Sept. 22 at the K. of P. Hall.

Paul Reynolds has had a new house put up on the Everett McAlister homestead, and Dennis McAlister from Waterford has been doing the excavation work, etc.

Frances Adams fell one day the past week and received a light concussion but is doing better at this writing.

Albert and Mary Fox are at home after being away at their son's in Georgia.

Carroll Buck Sr. is at home and doing well after having ear surgery at Mercy Hospital.

A 200 lb. black bear was struck and killed here last night on Route 5 when it ran into the path of a vehicle driven by Albert Fox. Albert was not injured in the accident which took place about 8 p.m., but he did have moderate front-end damage to his vehicle. Monday was the first day of bear hunting, but he certainly didn't plan to get a bear that way. The bear meat was to be given to a Stoneham needy family.

East Bethel

By NANCY MERCER

The first public supper Alder River Grange will host is Sept. 11 at 5:30 p.m.--adults, \$5; children 12 and under, \$2.50.

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting on Aug. 27. Election of officers was held with the following results: Master, Alvin Stevens; Overseer, Peter Haines; Lecturer, Dustin Howe; Steward, Earl Hutchinson; Asst. Steward, Allan Howe; L.A. Steward, Diana Howe; Chaplain, Nina Mollicone; Treasurer, Stanley Howe; Secretary, Nancy Mercer; Gatekeeper, Jarrod Crockett; Ceres, Gerry Howe; Pomona, Lucy Nordahl; Flora, Huldah Stevens; Executive Com., Rodney Howe.

Alder River Grange will hold a regular meeting on Sept. 10 at the Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Rebekah Howe celebrated her 13th birthday on Sept. 1 at her home.

Chris Olson with sons Kane and Karl were at Fenway Park on Aug. 30 to watch a Red Sox game. The Sox won the game over the Rangers.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudi Honkala were in Unity visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Eldridge recently.

Arlene Harrington took her sister, Kaye Devona, back to Skowhegan on Aug. 23 and spent a week there.

Janice Hill house-sat for Arlene.

Marilyn Mollicone of Augusta and Carolyn Grant of Winterport were recent visitors of Leslie Noyes.

Recent visitors at the Bartlett Homestead were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Austin and Joan Lovati of East Sandwich, Mass.; Mrs. Helen Secord, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Samiagi with Jennifer and Jason of Milford, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Fortin Powell of Rockland and Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk.

The last service at the East Bethel Church had a good turnout.

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An attorney from Pine Tree will be meeting with clients at the following times and places in the month of September: Tuesday, Sept. 6, Livermore Falls District Courthouse; Tuesday, Sept. 13, South Paris District Courthouse; Tuesday, Sept. 20, Bethel Area Health Center; Monday, Sept. 26, Rumford District Courthouse.

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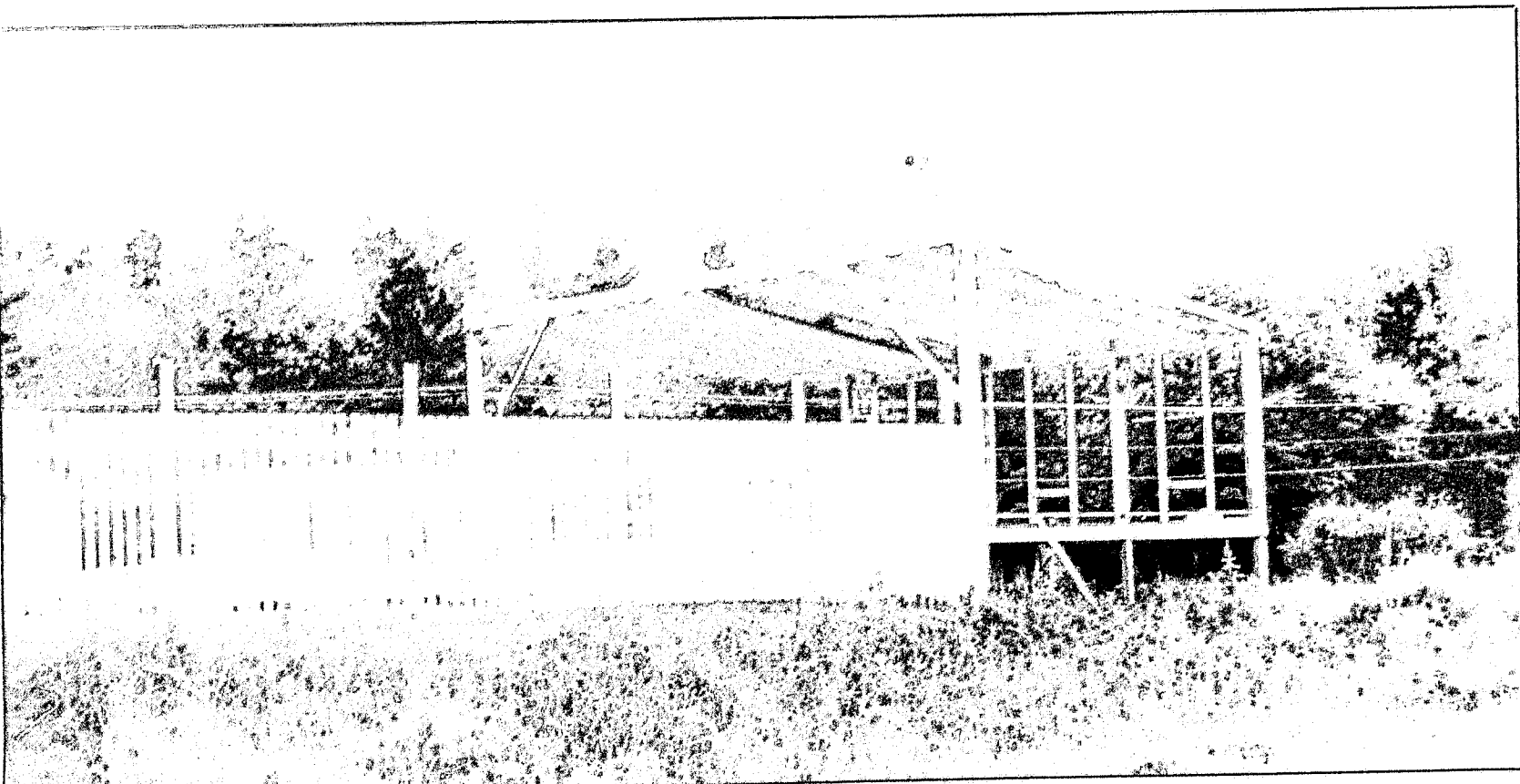
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Bethel Bancorp reports record results for FY93

Bethel Bancorp (NASDAQ: BTHL) has announced that it earned \$1,222,343, or \$2.13 per share, for its fiscal year ended June 30, 1993. These results represent record earnings for the company. Earnings for fiscal year ended June 30, 1992 were \$1,065,152, or \$1.82 per share.

Earnings for the fourth quarter ended June 30, 1993, were \$294,464, or \$0.52 per share, versus \$232,561, or \$0.40 per share, for the fourth quarter ended June 30, 1992.

Bethel Bancorp is the present holding company for Bethel Savings Bank F.S.B. and Brunswick Federal Savings F.A. Total assets of Bethel Bancorp stood at approximately \$172,000,000 at June 30, 1993. Book value per share is \$24.69.

Bethel President and CEO Jim Delamater said, "We are very pleased to report such significant results. All of our subsidiaries are experiencing strong demand for their products and services."

Delamater added, "It is noteworthy to report that these results were achieved despite a substantial increase to overall loan loss reserves. To provide prudent defense against possible loan losses, management has aggressively increased reserves. The company's allowance for loan losses was \$2,123,000 as of June 30, 1993 versus \$1,555,000 as of June 30, 1992. This action is designed to strengthen the integrity of future earnings. Both subsidiary banks were recently examined by federal regulators and received satisfactory ratings in both exams. The regulators did not require any increase in our allowance for loan losses in either bank."

Bethel Bancorp has acquired control of ASI Inc., a data processing company which is in the business of providing quality data processing support to financial institutions. Delamater added, "Bethel Bancorp is very excited about its affiliation

with ASI. David Arenstam, its president, has developed a very capable staff which have demonstrated their ability to deliver a first class product. Both Brunswick Federal and Bethel Savings have enjoyed substantial benefits through their use of ASI for data processing support."

Brunswick Federal Savings, F.A. serves the Bath-Brunswick area from its Maine Street location in downtown Brunswick. Total assets for Brunswick Federal were approximately \$85.9 million at June 30, 1993.

Bethel Savings Bank F.S.B. serves Western Maine from branches in Bethel, Harrison and South Paris. Total assets for Bethel Savings were approximately \$90.6 million at June 30, 1993.

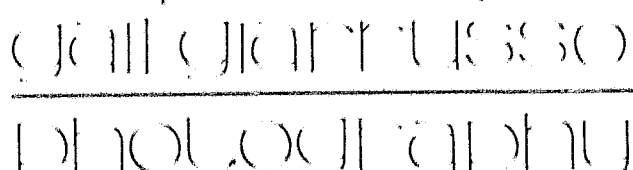
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(5)	Waltons		Young Riders	
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Mad-You	Wings
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Missing Persons	
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		Maine	Maine
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Football: Syracuse at E		
(12)	VideoPM Cont'd		Crook and Chase	
(13)	Entertain.	Edition	In the Heat of the	
(14)	Golf	Talk Sport	Olympic Showcase	
(15)	Movie: "The Outlaw Josey Wales"	Cont'd		
(17)	Movie: "Heidi"	Cont'd	Movie: "The Great	
(18)	Naked Gun 2 1/2: Fear		Movie: "Moving	
(20)	Volleyball	Fat Tire	Drag Racing: NHR	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law	
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "Over the	
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get S
(25)	"The Magnificent Ambersons"			Movie
(26)	Uncle Buck	U.S. Open Tennis: Mixed Doub		
(27)	In Search Of...		Real West	
(32)	Gimme B.	Fish	Renegade	
(34)	Paradise	Major League Baseball: Chicag		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	

FRIDAY EVENING SEPT

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(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Awakening Land	
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(12)	VideoPM	Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand		
(13)	Entertain	Edition	How'd They Do T	
(14)	Post Time	Celtics Encore	Kings at Celtic	
(15)	Inside the NFL		Movie: "Showdown	
(17)	Movie: "Heidi"	Cont'd	Movie: "White Fa	
(18)	Irreconcilable		Movie: "Story of	
(20)	Red Sox	High Five	Transworld Sport	
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(27)	In Search Of		Time Machine	
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(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	

SATURDAY EVENING SEPT

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(3)	To Be Announced		Movie: "Stalag	
(5)	Bordertown	Skies	Rescue 911	
(6)	Grizzly Adams		Empty Nest, En	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	College Football	
(10)	Maine	Media W.	Evening at Pop	
(11)	Football	College Football: Georgia at		
(12)	City Beat	Stardom	Opry	Gr
(13)	Untouchables		Medicine Wom	
(14)	Equestrian	Report	Belmont	C
(15)	"The Jewel of the Nile"		Movie: "And th	
(17)	Wolf Too! A Girl and Her Dog			M
(18)	Loverboy	Cont'd	Movie: "One Fir	
(20)	Rugby World		European PGA	
(21)	"Pink Lightning"	Cont'd	Movie: "Prison	
(22)	Wrestling	Auto Racing: NASCAR Winc		
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Clarissa	R
(25)	Movie: "Down Argentine Way			
(26)	Quantum Leap		Movie: "Tradit	
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THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 9, 1993										
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(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Movie: "The Seven-Ups"				Hogan	Hogan	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Father Dowling		700 Club		Scarecr.-King	
6	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Mad-You	Wings	Seinfeld		Larroquette	2nd Half	News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Missing Persons		Billy Graham Crusade		Primetime Live		News	
10	MacNeil-Lehrer		Maine.	Maine	Mystery!		Education Rev.		Charlie Rose	
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Football: Syracuse at East Carolina							Baseball	Sportsctr.
(12)	VideoPM	Cont'd	Crook and Chase		Nashville Now			Stardom	Club Dance	
13	Entertain.	Edition	In the Heat of the Night		Eye to Eye		Deep Space 9		News	
(14)	Golf	Talk Sport	Olympic Showcase: Barcelona Encore			Week-Pro Scrr			Back Table	FastPitch
(15)	Movie: "The Outlaw Josey Wales" Cont'd				Movie: "Quick"				Inside the NFL	
(17)	Movie: "Heldi" Cont'd		Movie: "The Great Mouse Detective"		Movie: "His Girl Friday"				Cary Grant Celebration	
(18)	Naked Gun 2 1/2: Fear		Movie: "Moving"			Movie: "Almost Pregnant"			Movie: "Hellmaster"	
(20)	Volleyball	Fat Tire	Drag Racing: NHRA		Cycle World		MotorSports Hour		This Week in NASCAR	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law		Movie: "Absolute Strangers"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "Over the Top"				Major League Baseball: Braves at Padres			
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Lucy Show	Hitchcock
(25)	"The Magnificent Ambersons"			Movie: "On a Clear Day You Can See Forever"					Movie: "Black Beauty"	
(26)	Uncle Buck	U.S. Open Tennis: Mixed Doubles Final and Men's Quarterfinals						Quantum Leap		
(27)	In Search Of...		Real West		Leonard Bernstein's 75th			Evening at the Improv		
(32)	Gimme B.	Fish	Renegade		Highlander: The Series			News	Sts. of Frisco	
(34)	Paradise	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia Phillies					News		Highlander	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 10, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Major League Baseball		Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Cleveland Indians						Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Movie: "Cheaper by the Dozen"				700 Club	Scarecr.-King		
6	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Awakening Land				Trade Winds		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Family	Thea	Step by S.	Mr. Cooper	20/20	News		
10	MacNeil-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Wait God	Keep Up	Served	Benny Hill	Charlie Rose	
(11)	Sportsctr.	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Major League Baseball: Teams TBA		
(12)	VideoPM	Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand National				Nashville Now			Club Dance	
13	Entertain.	Edition	How'd They Do That?		Building	Boys	Picket Fences	News		
(14)	Post Time	Celtics Encore: Kings at Celtics				CFL Football: Calgary Stampeders at Edmonton Eskimos				
(15)	Inside the NFL	Movie: "Showdown in Little Tokyo"				Crypt Tales	Movie: "Rapid Fire"			Sanders
(17)	Movie: "Heidi" Cont'd	Movie: "White Fang"				Fleetwood Mac: Going Home			Incredible	
(18)	Irreconcilable	Movie: "Story of Boys and Girls"				Movie: "Poison Ivy"			Movie: "Alien 3"	
(20)	Red Sox	High Five	Transworld Sport		Water Sports World		Surfing: Pro-Am		Surfing: Xcel Pro	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law		Movie: "Farewell to the King"			Mysteries		
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "Hard Times"				Major League Baseball: Braves at Padres			
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Lucy Show	Hitchcock
(25)	Movie: "Escape to Burma"			Movie: "That Hamilton Woman"					Movie: "The Egg and I"	
(26)	MacGyver	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Extreme Prejudice"			"The Sex Puppets"			
(27)	In Search Of	Time Machine		Investigative Reports			Ancient Mysteries		Evening at the Improv	
(32)	Gimme B	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at New York Mets					News		Sts. of Frisco	
(34)	Paradise	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at New York Mets					News		Comedy	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 11, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	To Be Announced		Movie: "Stalag 17"					Movie: "The McKenzie Break"		
(5)	Bordertown	Skies	Rescue 911	Desperate Passage			Bonanza			
6	Grizzly Adams	Empty Nest		Empty Nest	Movie: "Miss America: Behind the Crown"			News	Sat. Night	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy'	College Football: Washington at Ohio State					News	Bright City	
10	Maine	Media W	Evening at Pops		Trainer		Austin City Limits	Sandbaggers		
(11)	Football	College Football: Georgia at Tennessee					Football	Baseball	Sportsctr.	
(12)	Ctry. Beat	Stardom	Opry	GrandOpry	Statler Bros.		Dancin' Spots	Opry	GrandOpry	
13	Untouchables		Medicine Woman		Movie: "For Love and Glory"			News		
(14)	Equestrian	Report	Belmont	College Football: Hawaii at Brigham Young					Football	
(15)	"The Jewel of the Nile"		Movie: "And the Band Played On"					Dream On	Crypt Tales	Untouch.
(17)	Woof Too! A Girl and Her Dog		Marvin	Movie: "The Jewel of the Nile"				"The Front Page"		
(18)	"Loverboy" Cont'd		Movie: "One False Move"				Movie: "Project: Shadowchaser"		Swordsmn	
(20)	Rugby World		European PGA Golf: European Open				Major League Baseball: Red Sox at Indians			
(21)	"Pink Lightning" Cont'd		Movie: "Prison Stories: Women on the Inside"				Hidden	Hidden	Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Wrestling	Auto Racing: NASCAR Winston Cup -- Miller Genuine Draft 400						"Invasion U.S.A."		
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Clarissa	R house	Ren-Stumpy	Afraid?	Very Very Nick at Nite			
(25)	Movie: "Down Argentine Way"				Movie: "Coney Island"			"Allegheny Uprising"		
(26)	Quantum Leap		Movie: "Trading Places"					Silk Stalkings	Toxic	
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Movie: "Sands of the Kalahari"				Comedy on the Road		Caroline's Comedy Hour	
(32)	Simon & Simon		"Perry Mason: The Case of the Silenced Singer"				News	News thy	Sts. of Frisco	
(34)	Major League Baseball: Detroit Tigers at Chicago White Sox						News	H'mooner		Against
(39)	Capital	Sports Sat.	Primenews			Both Sides	Sources	World News	Sports	Capital

SUNDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 12, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Kung Fu: The Legend		Going Bonkers				Manager	Money	Odd Cple.	Roll. Stone
(5)	My Dog	Baby Race	Rin Tin Tin	Big Jake	Snowy River: McGregor		In Touch		Ben Haden	Ankerberg
6	I Witness Video		Sequest DSV				Larroquette	Wings	News	Suspect
8	Bradymania: Very Brady		Lois & Clark-Superman			How I Spent My Summer Vacation		News	Crusaders	
10	All Creatures		Performance		Masterpiece Theatre		To Serve Them		To Serve Them	
(11)	NFL Primetime		Major League Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Baltimore Orioles						Sportscenter	
(12)	Sports	NHRA	Racing	Raceday	Fishin'	Fishing	Bassmast'r	Outdoor	Road Test	Trucks
13	60 Minutes		Murder. She Wrote		Movie: 'Sherlock Holmes Returns'			News		
(14)	Athlete	S. Spurrier	College Football: Maine at Boston University						Pennant	Soccer
(15)	Big Girls Don't Cry		Movie: "The Super"			Age-Innoc.	Movie: "Sexual Response"			Real Sex 4
(17)	Movie: "Herbie Rides Again"			Grinch	Paul McCartney		Movie: "An Affair to Remember"			
(18)	"Ski Patrol" Cont'd		Movie: "School Ties"				Movie: "Ullertor Motives"			Sunset Grill
(20)	High Five	Running	European PGA Golf: European Open				CISL Soccer: La Raza at Sidekicks			
(21)	"Stolen Babies" Cont'd		Movie: "Clara's Heart"				Night Out	Speciality Update		
(22)	Movie: "Hero and the Terror"				National Geographic Explorer			Earth	Relations.	
(24)	Afraid?	Looney	Nick News	Mork	Lucy Show	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	Donna R.	Dragnet	Hitchcock
(25)	Movie: "The Painted Desert"			Movie: "Call of the Wild"			Movie: "Soldier of Fortune"			
(26)	MacGyver		Movie: "The Secret Passion of Robert Clayton"				Counterstrike		Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Jewel in the Crown		Movie: "Rogue Male"				Poirot	Caroline's Comedy Hour		
(32)	Amer-Again		Barnaby Jones		Sts. of Frisco		News	Gimme B.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.
(34)	Hugo	Runaway	Renegade		Billy Graham Crusade		News	H'mooner	Blues	
(39)	Pinnacle	Sport Sun.	Primenews		Live	In Review	World News	Sports	Business	

MONDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 13, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Movie: "The Big Easy"				M*A*S'H	Empty Nest	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Tom Kitten	Peter	Father Dowling		700 Club		Bonanza	
6	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Blossom	Movie: "Secrets"				News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Day One		NFL Football: San Francisco 49ers at Cleveland Browns					
10	MacNeil-Lehrer		Metropolitan Opera Presents					Encore!	Charlie Rose	
(11)	Sportsctr.	NFL Prime Monday			Beach Blowout		Jump Roping		Baseball	Sportsctr.
(12)	VideoPM	Cont'd	Crook	Texas	Nashville Now		Big Bass Round-Up		Club Dance	
13	Entertain.	Edition	Shade	Major Dad	Murphy B.	Dave's	Northern Exposure		News	
(14)	Kickboxing		Sportswriters on TV			Boxing: Pro Tour			Sports	Baseball
(15)	Movie: "Arena" Cont'd		Movie: "Point Break"				Movie: "White Sands"			
(17)	Movie: "Amy" Cont'd		Avonlea			Movie: "Sayonara"			America	
(18)	"Little Sister" Cont'd		Movie: "Class Act"				Movie: "City of Joy"			
(20)	Red Sox	Major League Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox							Boxing: Fight Night	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law		Movie: "The World's Oldest Living Bridesmaid"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	B. Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: "Alcatraz: The Whole Shocking Story"							
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Newhart	Newhart	Newhart	Newhart	Newhart	Newhart	Newhart	
(25)	Movie: "Under Two Flags"				Movie: "Midnight Lace"				"No Time for Love"	
(26)	MacGyver		Murder, She Wrote		WWF: Monday Raw		Silk Stalkings		Quantum Leap	
(27)	In Search Of...		David Wolper		Sherlock Holmes		Lovejoy Mysteries		Evening at the Improv	
(32)	Gimme B.	Gloria	Simon & Simon		Barnaby Jones		News		Sts. of Frisco	
(34)	Design, W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "The Haunting of Sarah Hardy"				News		Major League Baseball	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

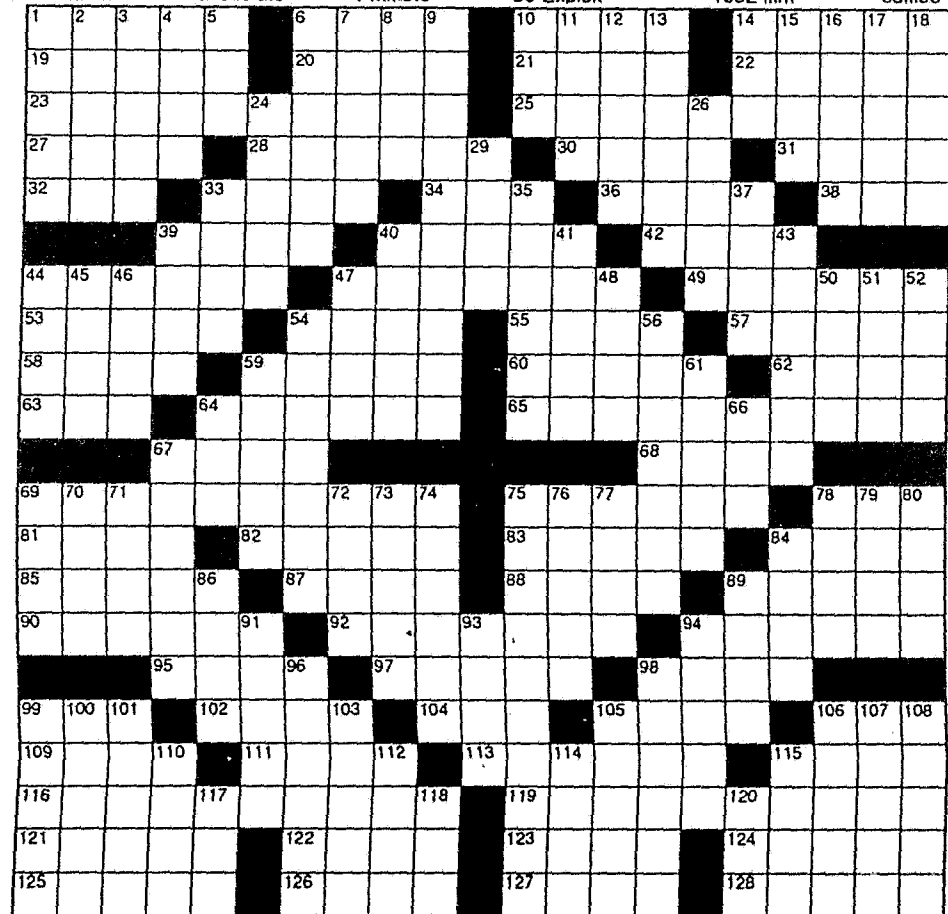
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 22 Humiliate
 23 Stewart/Kelly 1954 suspense film
 25 John Wayne's 1948 classic Western
 27 White-tailed eagle
 28 Former scourge of sailors
 30 Chicago player
 31 Small lean-to
 32 The Concorde, for one
 33 Nobelist
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 36 Make an exchange
 38 CIA forerunner
 39 Cell of the Scottish Highlands
 40 Cousins of bonfires
 42 Jewish month
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BRIEF BREAK—Rick and Micki Hoddinott, the new owners of Mt. Abram, and marketing director Eric Austin (right) take a break in front of the newly painted base lodge (it's now red). The new owners have undertaken a number of improvements for the coming year, including a doubling of the snowmaking capacity, new ski terrain, a snowboard half-pipe, and general sprucing up around the base lodge. But Austin said they will still target Mt. Abram's traditional market—by offering good value, family oriented skiing in a relaxed, user-friendly atmosphere. Mt. Abram is aiming for an early December opening, but a ski instructor clinic is planned for Sept. 25 and 26 and a Winter Warm-up Weekend for Oct. 23 and 24. The Locke Mills ski area currently has six full-time employees but plans to start building its winter staff next month. The Hoddinotts, of Readfield, are part of a group of investors, many of them long-time Mt. Abram skiers, who purchased the ski area from Oxford Bank and Trust in June. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

Mahoosuc Arts notes:

The Mahoosuc Arts Council will present The Wicked Good Band in an evening of Maine music and comedy on Saturday, Sept. 25, 7 p.m. at Helen Berry Auditorium, Telstar High School.

Tickets: \$5 for adults, \$3 for students, \$7 and \$5 at the door. Call 824-2375 for tickets and information.

MUNDT-ALLEN POST SUPPER
 A potluck supper will be held Sept. 14 at 6:30.

Opening Soon!

Tap • Jazz • Point • Gymnastics
 Adult Ballroom • Adult Women Dancerize
Bridget's School of Dance

Pre-School thru Adult
INSTRUCTOR: BRIDGET LANCASTER
 Past Vice President of Maine Dance Teachers Club

-REGISTER NOW-
 Call Between 6:30-8:30 pm—Classes Start Sept. 16
 Classes held at the former Town Office, Locke Mills
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Community Calendar

ACTIVITIES

Every Wednesday night—6 p.m., Mountain Bike Rides, rain or shine, Moriah Sports, 101 Main St., Gorham, N.H. Helmets a must, all abilities welcome. Ride lasts two to three hours.

Monday, Sept. 13, 7 p.m.—Middle Intervale Meeting House meeting.

Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1:30-3:30 p.m.—HORIZONS/55 will present "Maine Yankee Overview" (an update on Maine Yankee) at the Senior Health Information Center at Lewiston Mall.

Thursday, Sept. 9, 5 to 6:30 p.m.—East Stoneham Church supper (homemade baked beans, brown bread, casseroles, rolls, salads, pies, beverages). Adults \$5, under 12 \$2.50.

V.F.W. Post 11363 meeting, 7 p.m. at Lion's Den, Main St., Bethel.

Thursday-Sunday, Sept. 9-12—Clinton Fair, Clinton—agricultural, craft and 4-H exhibits.

Friday-Saturday, Sept. 10-12—Litchfield Fair, Litchfield. Large midway, agricultural exhibits and animals.

HORIZONS/55 will present "Music with Sylvia Roy" at the Senior Health Information Center at Lewiston Mall at 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Info: call 795-2905 or 1-800-564-4555.

Sunday, Sept. 12-Saturday, Sept. 18—Oxford County Fair, Oxford. Livestock shows, woodsmen's events, Mom's apple pie contest, nightly entertainment.

Monday, Sept. 13, 7 p.m.—Middle Intervale Meeting House Society at the Meeting House.

The Knitting Guild of America, Mountain View Knitters will meet at 10 a.m. in the vestry of the Congregational Church, Fryeburg for book reviews. The evening group will meet at 7 p.m. at 138 Main St., Fryeburg. Visitors welcome. Info: call 935-2109.

Tuesday, Sept. 14, 9 to 10 a.m. (low-impact aerobics), 10 to 10:30 a.m. (stretching and flexibility)—HORIZONS/55 "Fit

and Fun" program will begin at the Senior Information Center at Lewiston Mall. Info: call 795-2905 or 1-800-564-4555.

Saturday, September 18, Celebration Barn Theater, So. Paris, will present "The Swordsman"—one of the most requested and talked about performances. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. and show starts at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$4 for children 12 and under. Reservations advised—call 743-8452.

Saturday, Sept. 18-Sunday, Sept. 19—New Portland Lions Club Fair, North New Portland. Exhibition hall, horse and pony pulling and a Saturday night dance.

Sunday, Sept. 19-Sunday, Sept. 25—Farmington Fair, Farmington. Excellent exhibition hall, covered pulling ring, harness horse racing.

Sept. 21 thru Dec. 24—Oxford County Women Unlimited's Fall 1993 Job Training (Class B Truck Driving, Wallpapering/Interior Painting, Modular Home Construction, Technical Math, English, Physical Conditioning) at Bethel, Rumford, Norway. For information or interview, call 1-800-281-5259.

Friday, Sept. 24-Sunday, Sept. 26—Common Ground Country Fair, Windsor. A celebration of rural life, demonstrations, Maine produced food and crafts.

Saturday, Sept. 25—Celebration Barn Theater will feature "The Thinking Man's Juggler" performed by Michael Menes. Doors open at 7:30 p.m., show at 8. Tickets: adults \$6, under 12 \$4. For reservations call 743-8452.

PUBLIC ACCESS TV CHANNEL IV SCHEDULE

Thursday, Sept. 9, 7 p.m.: 1993 Adult Ed. Graduation

Sunday, Sept. 12, 9 a.m.: Church of Nazarene

Tuesday, Sept. 14, 7 p.m.: Bryant Pond Show, followed by Back Yard Maine

Thursday, Sept. 16, 7 p.m.: Middle Intervale Concert

DISTRICT EXCHANGE

Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-8 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

SAFER FAMILIES

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women, which offer both friendship and support.

Meetings are held in Rumford on Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m. and Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. in Bethel. Safer Families also offers crisis intervention, court advocacy, counseling, transportation and community education and awareness programs. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-287-2292. For more information about Safer Families and how it can help you call 824-2193 or 1-800-287-2292 (24 hours a day).

REACH

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. REACH—Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Serving victims of sexual abuse—past or present.

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROGRAM

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and sponsors free and confidential services for presently or formerly abused women. Services include: 24-hour hotline, emergency shelter, support groups, information on how to obtain protection from abuse orders and other court advocacy, information, referral and support by phone or in person, speakers are available upon request to churches, civic organizations, schools and other interested groups. Rumford office—369-0750; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

LIBRARY HOURS

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.;

Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 1-6:30 p.m. Saturday 10-12 a.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

First Wednesday of Each Month: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting. Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at the Town Office, First and Third Wednesday of Each Month: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday of Each Month: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

First Thursday of Each Month: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist church at 1 p.m.

Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday of Each Month: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Casco Bank, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM.

S.H.A.R.E. support group for bereaved parent suffering loss of infant or miscarriage, at Stephens Memorial Hospital 7-9 p.m. For information call 824-2913.

CPS PTA will meet from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Third Thursday of Each Month: Fish & Game, at the Bethel United Methodist Church; potluck supper 6 p.m.; meeting at 7 p.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, at Newry municipal building, 7 p.m.

First and Third Thursday of Each Month: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Every Friday: Friday Gift Shop, at the Bethel United Methodist Church, during summer, 1-5 p.m.

Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

Third Friday of Each Month: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Second Saturday of Each Month: Woodstock Historical Society, 7 p.m. Woodstock Historical Society Museum, summer months.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, at the Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer St., West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Third Sunday of Each Month: Episcopalian House Church at the Bohrs on Chapman Street, Bethel, 4 p.m.

First Monday of Each Month: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m.

Second and fourth Monday of Each Month: SAD #44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

Second Monday of Each Month: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Third Monday of each Month: Mundt-Allen pot luck supper and meeting. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

First and Third Monday of Each Month: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

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First Tuesday of Each Month: State Representative Rick Bennett will be at the meeting of the Greenwood Selectmen at the town Office, Locke Mills.

Three Rivers Sportsman's Club: Hanover I of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.

Second Tuesday of Each Month: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Lalache League, nursing mothers, meet at 10 a.m. at area members homes Call 836-3567 for more information.

Bethel Snow Twisters, meet at Casco Bank, 7 p.m., fall and winter months.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 6 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

First and Third Tuesday of Each Month: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy for families of children with major mental illness or emotional/behavioral disorders meets in the Former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in Rumford. Contact "Diane" at 369-0542.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Third Tuesday of Each Month: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social Hour—6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444.



GOULD NEWCOMERS—New faculty members Dana L. Breslau, Patricia A. Sigel, and others.

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Seven new faculty members Gould Academy reception at the Thursday, Sept. 2, officially kicked off the school year. New students arrive today. New students arrive today.

Alexey Loshkarev traveled from Moscow, Russia, to Gould as the second Fulbright scholar. He has taught for 12 years in Russia, and in the Moscow school system. He plans to use his American experience to discover new ways to teach physics when he returns to his native Russia.

Dana L. Breslau teaches mathematics and coaches skiing, swimming, and cycling. After six years for Union Carbide, she switched her career at Phillips Exe she instructed for two years in physics and for one year at the School in Hawaii. She will reher husband, who is a native

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GOULD NEWCOMERS—New faculty members were welcomed at a Gould Academy reception at the Sudbury Inn on Sept. 2. The newcomers are (from left): Alexey Loshkarev, Andrea L. Morrison, Sara E. Whalen, Dana L. Breslau, Patricia S. Bunt, Debby Gilbert, and Paul Nelson. Missing from the photo: David A. Sigel.

(Photo by Kirk Siegel)

Gould welcomes new faculty

Seven new faculty members were greeted at a Gould Academy reception at the Sudbury Inn Thursday, Sept. 2, officially kicking off the school year. New students arrive today for four days of orientation before classes begin Monday.

Alexey Loshkarev traveled furthest to come to Gould. A native of Moscow, Mr. Loshkarev joins Gould as the second Fulbright Fellow in three years. He has taught for 12 years in Ethiopia, Tanzania, and in the Moscow secondary system. He plans to use his American experience to help him discover new ways to teach physics and English when he returns to his native Moscow.

Dana L. Breslau teaches mathematics and computer science and coaches skiing and lacrosse. A precocious undergraduate, she began her teaching and coaching while competing in two varsity sports, coaching the dryland training program for the ski team, and directing the Big/Little Sister Program. During the summer she has worked as a computer programmer. Dana holds a B.A. from the University of Massachusetts.

Patricia S. Bunt teaches chemistry and coaches skiing and cycling. After six years as an engineer for Union Carbide, she switched to teaching and began her career at Phillips Exeter Academy, where she instructed for two years in chemistry and physics and for one year at the H.P. Baldwin High School in Hawaii. She will reside on campus with her husband, who is a native of Maui.

Andrea L. Morrison comes to Gould to teach mathematics, after A.B. and M.A. degrees from Princeton University and the State University of New York at Stony Brook. Andrea is not new to teaching, as her record as an outstanding graduate

school lecturer and instructor attests. Experience as assistant director of a Girl Scout summer camp and classical music DJ at Princeton helped to round out her undergraduate career.

Paul Nelson, new music program director, has extensive experience as a voice performer, music educator and advocate for the arts through a five-year association with the Cincinnati Opera. He has been involved with various kinds of youth organizations in his home state of Michigan, where he and his wife Elizabeth, who is also a professional singer, own and operate a summertime business, The Florence Bed and Breakfast.

David A. Sigel teaches art and coaches soccer and tennis. He began his Gould teaching career in the 1993 Summer School after working for a year in Boston restoring and renovating historical buildings. The Boston University graduate has teaching in his blood and brings youth and enthusiasm for drawing and painting to an already strong art department as well as to Holden Hall where he serves as dormitory counselor.

Sara E. Whalen teaches English and English as a Second Language. A 1988 Gould graduate, she returned to Bethel as an intern in the 1991 and 1992 Summer Schools and an administrative assistant during the winter of 1992-93. Currently she serves as yearbook adviser and dormitory counselor in Gehring Hall in addition to carrying out teaching and coaching duties.

Debby Gilbert joins the health staff after prior service at Stephens Memorial Hospital and most recently at Maine Medical Center in Portland where she worked in the neonatal department. She lives in Newry with her husband Randy and children.

Federal grant could boost local wood products industry

By CHRISTINE SEVERSON

A \$600,000 federal wood science research grant awarded to the University of Maine is intended to spur research that will help Maine's \$4 billion a year wood products industry remain competitive.

Maine's congressional delegation has announced that the U.S. Department of Agriculture has awarded the grant to fund research into wood science and engineering.

Those involved in the research projects say they will look for new, higher value uses for Maine's wood species.

Locally, this research could translate into an economic boost for the Maine wood industry, according to Dr. Stephen Shaler, an associate professor in the Forest Management Department at the University of Maine.

"If we can help the (wood-production) plants start to use red maple, this could mean more harvesting, more logging, more jobs... and, of course, by making a plant more productive, more efficient, you ensure that the plant will keep running. In the long-term, ideally, perhaps a new recycling plant," Shaler said.

According to proposal excerpts released by the university, the grant will fund six areas of research: insect-antifeedants from birch bark, high-yield pulping, composite material for timber bridges, wood preservation, wood biodegradation, and wood-based composites.

The proposal excerpts indicate that these six projects all reflect a crucial economic need for the state of Maine: the need to continue the forest-resource based economy at a competitive level, while employing and maintaining conservation efforts.

Shaler is involved with two of the six projects: wood-based composites and the timber bridge composite research.

"The overall goal is to find new, higher value use of Maine wood species," he said.

The research will be conducted in collaboration with the universities of Vermont and New Hampshire. And although the grant is for collaborative work among the three northeastern universities, Maine will be "taking the lead in the three-point project," according to Dr. Barry Goodell, associate professor of wood science and technology at the University of Maine.

The interdisciplinary research will involve a number of different university departments, and will focus on exploring ways to more effi-

ciently use the Northeast region's timber resources, Goodell said.

The USDA has granted similar research grants to Mississippi State, Oregon State and Michigan State universities.

However, according to Goodell, although the research done here in the Northeast will complement current research at these universities, the University of Maine will concentrate mainly on wood species native to the Northeast region, such as spruce, fir, pine and northern hardwoods.

Goodell stressed the need for modern technology to concentrate on discovering ways to make more product with less waste.

The timber bridge project, for example, will focus on ways to maintain high structural strength while using timber beams smaller than the large beams normally used in the construction of these bridges.

The project will involve combining laminated lumber with fiber-reinforced plastics, such as carbon-epoxy, to improve the performance of the construction beams. This will allow smaller size trees to be used in the construction of the bridges.

"We no longer have wood of that size... and the trees we do have of that size we want to keep standing. We can use smaller resources, using modern designs," Goodell said.

Fiber Materials in Biddeford will be collaborating with the university on this project.

Shaler said some of the money from the grant would go to purchasing state-of-the-art equipment, such as a densitometer—a machine that measures density variation with a beam of gamma particles—and a position-controlled hot press.

The densitometer will help to better determine the quality of the material, and will serve as a valuable tool for assessing and improving manufacturing processes.

The hot press will allow manufacturers to make lab-scale products. This will help manufacturers determine the strength of alternative, abundant wood sources for products now being manufactured from diminishing wood supplies.

Producing and testing the lab-scale products would replace the costly method of testing the new products on a commercial scale.

"As pressure mounts to augment the use of the aspen supply with other, lesser-used species, industry may turn to the more abundant red maple. As industry starts using another species, with this equipment we can test it here, at a lower cost and with less waste," Shaler said.

The new equipment purchased with the money from the grant will be accessible to both undergraduate and graduate students at the University of Maine.

"This will help expose them to some of the newest technology out there, making the students more desirable for industry," Shaler said.

The university grants both undergraduate and graduate degrees in wood products manufacturing.

Funds from the grant will also go towards research into ways to improve products made from recycled fibers.

According to Shaler, although a substantial amount of recycled fiber is used in the paper industry, the wood industry does not use much of this material because of the low availability and the lower quality products that result.

"The markets for recycled material need to grow and be profitable. A large market needs a continuing supply... Maybe we can increase the quality of recycled material composite products, and suggest an incremental increase in the use of recycled materials. One of the advantages of composites is that you can use small trees, so you don't need old-growth timber," Shaler said.

Composite materials are made from a combination of wood, recycled fibers and plastics.

Shaler said that three major industrial companies have expressed interest in working with the composite research project: Georgia-Pacific in Woodland, Louisiana Pacific in Houlton, and J.M. Huber in Easton.

Goodell commented on the eventual effects of the wood-science research.

"These, and the other projects on this grant will together provide a base for improving the utilization of the northern New England forests, and help maintain the region's forest industry development as we move into the next century," he said.

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The workshop, which is co-sponsored by the Androscoggin County Chamber of Commerce and the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments, will be held at the Council offices, 125 Manley Road, Auburn, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. and again from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m.

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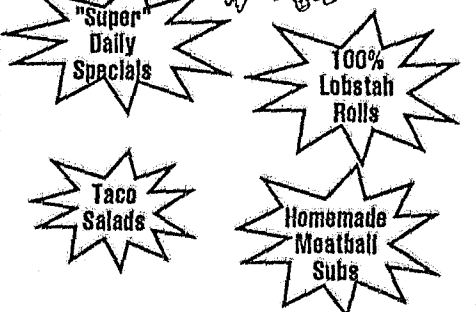
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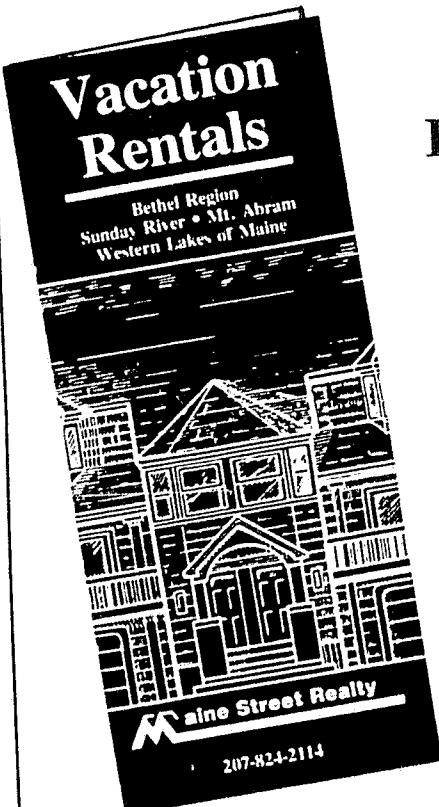
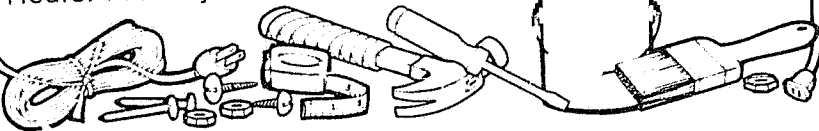
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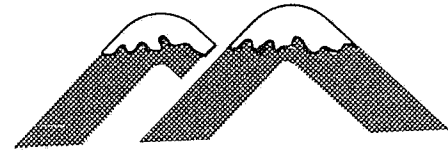
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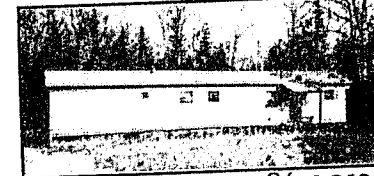
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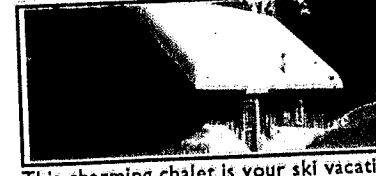
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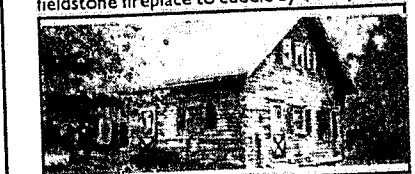
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